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MR. SPEAKER :—" I do not know. If Mr. Viswanathan comes to my room I will find out whether any answers to his questions have since been received from the Government. I am sure there will be none because no question is pending in my office. As soon as we receive replies we place them before the House then and there.

" The Hon. the Leader of the House will move the Motion standing in his name."

III.—GOVERNMENT MOTIONS *RE*. APPOINTMENT OF A NEW RULES COMMITTEE.

* THE HON. SRI C. SUBRAMANIAM :—" Sir, I move—

' *That in view of the changes in the composition of the Madras Legislative Assembly consequent on the formation of the Andhra State with effect from the* 1st *October* 1953, *a new Committee consisting of the following Members be appointed to make suggestions for the amendment of the Madras Assembly Rules* in lieu *of the Committee constituted by the motion made in the Assembly on the* 31*st July* 1952 :—

1. *Hon. Speaker.*
2. *Deputy Speaker.*
3. *The Hon. Sri C. Subramaniam.*
4. *The Hon. Sri K. P. Kuttikrishnan Nair.*
5. *The Hon. Sri K. Rajaram.*
6. *Sri A. S. Sahajananda.*
7. *Sri N. Ramakrishna Ayyar.*
8. *Sri S. Ramaswami Naidu.*
9. *Sri P. Ramamurthi.*
10. *Sri S. Swayamprakasam.*
11. *Sri M. Narayana Kurup.*
12. *Sri K. Uppi.*
13. *Sri V. R. Nagarajan.*
14. *Sri V. R. Krishna Ayyar.*
15. *Sri V. Balakrishnan.*' "

MR. SPEAKER :—" The question is—

' That in view of the changes in the composition of the Madras Legislative Assembly consequent on the formation of the Andhra State with effect from the 1st October 1953, a new Committee consisting of the following Members be appointed to make suggestions for the amendment of the Madras Assembly Rules *in lieu* of the Committee constituted by the motion made in the Assembly on the 31st July 1952 :—

1. Hon. Speaker.
2. Deputy Speaker.
3. The Hon. Sri C. Subramaniam.

4. The Hon. Sri K. P. Kuttikrishnan Nair.
5. The Hon. Sri K. Rajaram.
6. Sri A. S. Sahajananda.
7. Sri N. Ramakrishna Ayyar.
8. Sri S. Ramaswami Naidu.
9. Sri P. Ramamurthi.
10. Sri S. Swayamprakasam.
11. Sri M. Narayana Kurup.
12. Sri K. Uppi.
13. Sri V. R. Nagarajan.
14. Sri V. R. Krishna Ayyar.
15. Sri V. Balakrishnan '."

The motion was put and carried.

IV.—VOTING ON DEMANDS FOR GRANTS FOR THE SECOND SIX MONTHS OF THE YEAR 1953–54—*cont.*

(5) DEMAND XV—EDUCATION.

THE HON. SRI C. SUBRAMANIAM :—" Sir, on the recommendation of the Governor, I move—

> ' *That Government be granted a sum not exceeding Rs.* 4,82,45,600 *under Demand XV—Education* '."

MR. SPEAKER :—" Motion moved—

> ' That Government be granted a sum not exceeding Rs. 4,82,45,600 under Demand XV—Education.'

I fix three hours for this Demand."

SRI P. RAMAMURTHI :—" நிதி மந்திரி கனம் ஸ்ரீ ஸி. சுப்ரமண்யம் அவர்கள் கல்வி மான்யத்தை பிரேரணை செய்வதற்கு முன்பாகவே நான் கனம் சபாநாயகர் அவர்கள் முன் ஒரு விஷயத்தைச் சொல்ல வேண்டுமென்று இருந்தேன். அதாவது, விவசாய மான்யத்தையும், தொழில் மான்யத்தையும் கல்வி மான்யத்திற்கு முன் எடுத்துக்கொள்ளவேண்டும் என்று கேட்டுக்கொள்ளலாமென்று இருந்தேன். ஆனால், அதற்குள் கல்வி மான்யம் சபை முன் இப்பொழுது இருக்கிறபடியால், கல்வி மான்யத்திற்கு பிறகு, விவசாய மான்யத்தையும், தொழில் மான்யத்தையும் எடுத்துக்கொண்டு, ஒவ்வொன்றுக்கும் ஒரு மணி நேரமாவது ஒதுக்க வேண்டுமென்று கனம் சபாநாயகர் அவர்களைக் கேட்டுக்கொள்ளுகின்றேன்."

* DR. K. B. MENON :—" Sir, I move—

> ' *That the allotment of Rs.* 4,82,45,600 *under Demand XV—Education be reduced by Rs.* 100.'

The object of my cut motion is to discuss the educational policy of the Government. The House is not satisfied with the present policy of the Government which is neither cogent, nor consistent nor clear-cut, particularly in the field of primary education. To any casual student of Indian conditions, it would be evident that neither the Union Government nor the State Government have any consistent policy with regard to education. Education is one of the most neglected subjects now. During the British rule, we had been denouncing the British Indian system of education as one unsuited to the needs and requirements of our country. We had